LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY**, **JULY 18**, **2001**, upon the application of **TEXACO EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Lower 15000 Foot Sand, Reservoir 850,** in the Caillou Island Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To recognize the Lower 15000 Foot Sand, Reservoir 850, as a new reservoir and the SL 15836 No. 1 Well (Serial No. 224306) as a new discovery well for the Lower 15000 Foot Sand, Reservoir 850 all pursuant to Part I-C of Chapter 6 of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 (Act 2 of 1994).
- 2. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower 15000 Foot Sand, Reservoir 850, in the Caillou Island Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the electric log depths of 15,620' (12,273' TVD) and 15,774' (12,375' TVD) in the Texaco Exploration and Production Inc. - SL 15836 No. 1 Well located in Section 12, Township 24 South, Range 20 East.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 6/29/01;7/6/01 L dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.